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PRELIMINARY NOTIFICATION

FOR. 134/79-80. the 7th April, 1979. In exercise of the power conferred under Section 14 and 15 read with Section 16 & 17 of the MIZO DISTRICT (FOREST) Act, 1955 read with Section 4,5 & 7 of the Assam Forest Regulation, 1891, it is proposed to constitute the land described below as Forest Reserve, and therefore it is hereby notified that any claim of Rights on the land and any objection against the proposed Reserve Forest shall be submitted in writing to the undersigned within 120 days from the date of publication of the notification, for disposal of such claim objection.

From the date of issue of this Notification till the date of Final Notification to be issued by the Government no new right of any nature shall be required within the land comprised in this Notification, and no fresh clearing of the Forests for any purpose shall be made and no trees shall be cut or felled for the purpose of trade or manufacture without permission in writing from a competent authority.

I. LAND PROPOSED FOR RESERVATION :
MINPUI PROPOSED RESERVE FOREST :
DETAIL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION :

Area : 170 Hectares

Location : Within Minpui ram along the Lunglei-Lawngtlai Tuipang Road (BRTF) between Tawipui (S) and Thingfal on the Eastern side.

Starting point : Pillar No. I is erected of hard stone for permanent mark which is used for starting point, near the point of permanent mile post No. 4 erected by BRTF of a distance of 200 metres from Pillar No. I on Lunglei—Lawngtlai BRTF Road.

Eastern sides : Starting from Pillar No. 1 towards the Northern side along the BRTF Road boundary line goes and crossed the Minpui Tuikhur and thence reached the Pillar No. 28 (B.P. No. 28) .

Northern side : From the B.P. No. 28 the boundary goes upward on the parallel of Ropianga's Garden (Minnui village) and reached B.P. No. 38 which is the existing PWD Road. Then goes towards the northern side with a distance of 13 mts. and reached B.P. No. 36 and thence goes on the Western side till reaching B.P. No. 37.

Western side : From the B.P. No. 37 the boundary lines goes on the Northern side and puts B.P. No. 42 just the roadside of existing P.W.D. Road. Thence goes along the existing P.W.D. road toward the Westernside and puts B.P. No. 47 before reaching the Northern side on put B.P. No. 48 and goes along the slip land slip and at the end of land slip puts B.P. No. 58.

Southern side : From that B.P. No. 58 the boundary goes towards the eastern side and at a distance of 144 metres reached, the B.P. No. 1 which is the starting point of boundary line.

Vegetation : About two-third (2/3) area supports dense forest and the remaining bamboos areas as well as various kind of grasses. There are various species and the large trees available are of Sochima wallichii and remaining area phoebe goalparasis, shoerea Assamia Gmelina arborea; Talauma Phellocarpa; Acrocarpus fraxinifolios Michelia Champaca; Amoora Walichii Dendrocalamus Hamiltanii, Sapiu baccaba Bamboo sides jesons strictus etc.,

Geology Road & Soil : Manily Sedimentary Rocks line clay-stone. Soil is read (Alluvial Soil).

Line & Transport : Pacca road BRTF road Lunglei to Burma from North to South and Lunglei to Burma Road o'd PWD Road at present on the hillock from North to South.

Market & Marketable Produce : It has market Centre, Lunglei, Lawngtlai, Saiha as well as local villages like Tawipui (S), Minpui, Thingfal, Emergency Tawipui (N) moreover its produces can be easily marketed. It has marketable produce like sown timber ople Logs, Bamboos, Dendrex calamus Hamil tini, Hmunphiah, Di.

Aspect : Mostly Eastern and small portion Northern aspect and Southern aspect.

2. LEITE RAM, ROADSIDE PROPOSED RESERVE FOREST : DETAILED BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

AREA : 220 HECTARES.

Starting point i.e. Station No. 1 is on the intervillage Road between Leite and Rotlang. It about 1 km the Aizawl-- Lunglei Road. From here the boundary lines goes towards South West and meet a dry cannal till it meets a stream at Station No. 31. It follows this stream till it reaches Uichal stream at Station No. 51.

From the Station No. 51 it follows Uichal stream till it reaches the confluence of Uichal and Belkhai stream at the Station No.61. From this Station it follows

Belkhai towards upstream upto Station No.125. From Station No. 125 it turns to the east following a dry canal upto station No. 145 which is on the same inter-village road from where it follows the road to meet the Station No. 1.

Vegetation : The forest composes mainly of different species of trees and bamboos. The dominant species in the forest are Duabanga sonmeratoides, Terminelia myriocarpa, Aerocarpa fraxinifolias etc. The bamboo species are Melocana bambusioides and Bulesa tenolds. A few species of climbers exist there.

Geology & Soil : Rock The Soil is sandy loam throughout the area and rocks exposed some-where. More or less the soil is fertile.

Aspect : The aspect of this area is North-West.

Lines Transport : E.G.S. Road (connecting Rotlang and main Road) touched the area and Aizawl to Lunglei Road is running about 1 Km from the proposed area.

Market and Marketable Produce : The nearest markets are Lunglei and Aizawl which are about 50 Kms and 180 Kms respectively. The area is 1 Km distance from the main Road. The crops are marketable out the returns may be small are present.

LUNGSEN PROPOSED RESERVE FOREST
DETAILED BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

AREA : 570 HECTARES

Location : Within the jurisdiction of Lungsen Village Council in between Lungsen Village and Phairuang kai Village.

North : Pillar No. RF 1 is erected on BRTF Road at the jurisdiction with the P.W.D. (Chawngte) Road. From Pillar No. 1 the boundary runs towards east at 56°31' and follows down stream of dry nala upto Pillar FP No.2 where nala meets Chhun Khum Lui. From Pillar RF 2 the boundary follows along down stream of Chhunkhum Lui towards east upto Pillar RF. 3 from then it runs at 110° 15' run along a demarcated line and meet Chawchilui at Pillar No. RF. 4.

East : From Pillar R.F. 4 boundary run along Chamchilui upstream and crosses BRTF Road at Chamchi Bridge. Then it runs towards South following the same Chamchilui uptream and meets Lunglei Chawngte Road (PWD) where pillar R.F. No.

South : From Pillar No. R.F. 5 the boundary follows PWD Road towards North and meet Pillar R.F. No. 6, thence turns at 275°30' towards West and run along the demarcated line and meets Pillar No. R.F. 7 erected on Chawngte PWD Road.

West : From Pillar No R.F. 7 the boundary runs along a demarcated line at 349. towards North & meets Pillar No. R F. 8 on Chawngte Road from then it turns at 338. and meets Pillar No. R.F. 9 on the said road thence it turns at 313°30' and meets Pillar No. RF. 10 on the road. Thence it turns at 302. at meet Pillar No. R.F. 11 from this

it turns at 30, and cross PWD Road meets the starting point Pillar No. 1.

Vegetation : Almost the whole area is dense forest except small portion of old jhum area which are evaded by bamboos and gradios broad leaves deciduous of various species like Michilia sherea (Tlangsen) Chamalien Gomari, Duabang, Jaman (Lenchhui) Hollong, Chima Walichii, Lagerotonlea species semul etc, Malvecna bamboos like Dendro calamus species a good number of cane and herbs.

Geological Rock and Soil : Mainly Sedimentary rocks like sandstone, clayston. Soil is red with rich humus.

Aspect : Mostly Northern aspect and small portion, Southwestn aspect.

Line of transport : Pacca Road (BRTF Road) Lunglei—Tlabung from east to West and Lunglei—Chawngt Road (PWD Road at present Jeepable crosses from North to South BRTF and PWD Road and Chamchi lui entriangle the whole area.

Market & Marketable Produce . It has market Centre Lunglei, Tlabung, Chawngte as well as local villages like Lungsen, Rengte, Phairuang, Hauruang, Moreover, its produces can be easily marketed at Aizawl through the main road. It has marketable produce like logs, sawn timbers, poles, canes and bamboos..

HAULAWNG PROPOSED RESERVE FOREST : DETAILED BOUNDARY DISCRIPTON :

AREA — 820 HECTAGES

Location : Lunglei to Thenzawl P.W.D. Road within the Jurisdiction of Haulawng Grouping Centre.

East : It starts from Chhipphir E.G.S. Road at pillar No. 29 and goes South wards at 141. meeting Mauhak nalah. Following Mauhak nallah down stream meeting Thuhruk nallah at pillar No. 31 following upstream of Thuhruk nallah meeting Zobawk P.W.D. Road at Thuhruk junction crossing the Zobawk P.W.D. Continuing Southwards meeting Chitelui at Pillar No. 38. Following Chetelui downstream 400 metres upto Pillar No, 39 then diverted from the nallah at 222. Continuing southwards to the east of Hruipui hillock meeting starting Pillar of Sourthern boundary at Pillar No. I.

South : Starting from the Pillar No. I following upstream of Mausen kawn nallah at 302. meeting Mausen kawn (saddle) at 500 metres continuing Westwards along down stream and meeting starting point of Western boundary at Pillar No, 3 at a distance of 500 metres from Mausen kawn.

West : Starting from Pillar No. 3 continuing northwards at 500 metres away from P.W.D. Road upto Hruipui and Melveng ramri kawn, Then continuing to the West Melveng hillock meeting Lungdai road at

Kanghrenkawn. Following Lungdai road toward Haulawng village meeting Hainam nallah, following down stream of Hainam nallah meeting Bangla nallah (Zobawk). Following downstream of Bangla nallah meeting Thlanmual nallah it follows thlanmual nallah upstream to a distance of 290 metres then diverted north west at 355. Meeting Tingkawng kawng at Hmawi mual junction then continues north wards to the west of Tingkawng hillock crossing Sesih nallah meeting Tlawng kawng at Sedai kawn at Pillar No. 20

North: Starting from Pillar No. 20 it goes Eastward along nallah meeting other nallah at 175 metres then follows downstream and meeting Sikul tui nallah following downstream of Sikul tui nallah upto the junction of Rala pa lo kawr. Following upstream of Rala pa lo kawr and meeting Thenzawl P.W.D. Road at Pillar No. 24 Following 100 metres of P.W.D. Raod towards Haulawng, it diverted eastward following down stream of nallah meeting another nallah. Then following upstream of that nallah towards South east meeting Chhipphir E.G.S. Road at Pillar No. 29 and end.

Vegetation : The area is covered with dence Forest. There are various timber species bamboos and grasses, the largest available species is Schima, Michilia champaca, Quercus species, castonopsis tribuloides, Betuls species, Sapisur baccatum, Cudrella toona, Chukarasia tabulanies, Gmelina arborea, Shorea assamica, Terminallia mycrocarpa etc., and bamboo i.e. Bambusa pallida, melocana Bambusoides, Debdrocalamus strictus and dendrocalamus hamiltonii.

Geological : Mainly Sedimentary rocks, soil is brown sandy loam.
Rock and
Soil,

Line of transport : Jeepable P.W.D. Road (Lunglei—Thenzawl) run through from South to North and another Jeepable P.W.D. Road starts from Lamthuamthum towards east to Zobawk and Chhipphir E.G.S. Road run from Phunchawng peng.

Market and Marketable produce : The market is at Lunglei town and there is no other market Centre nearly The marketable produces are timber, poles, logs and bamboos.

Aspect : The main aspects are Eastern and Western aspect which runs north to South. The small portions are Northern and Southern aspect.

5. BUNGTLANG PROPOSED RESERVE FOREST :
FOREST AT BUNGTLANG RAM :
DETAILED BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION :

AREA—125 HECTARES

LOCATION :

South : Station No. I is posted on an old P.W.D. Road which is at a distance of about 1 Km from the Aizawl—Lunglei Road. It follows a foot parth to Mat River upto Station No 13.

West : From Station No 13 it turns towards Western side and it follows Selephawk stream upto station No. 20.

North : From Station No. 20 it turns towards Northern side to meet Bentar Stream near the confluence of Benthar stream and Selephawk stream and its follows Bemtar stream upto station No. 29. From this point it turns to the North—East cutting through a Jhum area and meet the Lungkawrlui at Station No. 31.

East : It follows Lungkawrlui from Station No. 31 to Station No. 34 from where it turns to the Eastern side to meet Station No. 1.

Vegetation : The Forest composes mainly of differeat boos the dominant species in the Forest are Schima wallichii, Duabanga, grandilora and Tarminalia mycrocarpa and the bamboos Forest is of Melocana bamboosiods There are many species of climbers, herbs and shrubs in the Forest.

Geology Rocks and Soil : Throughout the area the soil is sandy loam and a soft rocks exposed some—where. The Soil along the stream is fertile.

Aspect : The aspect of the Area is North—East.

Line and Transport. : The boundary touched the old P.W.D. Road and also main road connecting Aizawl to Lunglei is running nearby it.

Market and Marketable produce. : The nearest markets are Aizawl & Lunglei, which are about 160 Kms and 80 Kms respectively. A few numbers of timber and bamboos can be marketed although the return may be small at present.

6. TIANTE RAM PROPOSED FOREST RESERVE FOR THE PURPOSE OF PLANTATION DETAILED BOUNDRY DESCRIPTION

AREA — 560 HECTARES.

Location : Left Bank of Kawrpui River within Tiante Ram.

North : From the starting point the boundary funs towards east following Laihiauhva lui upstream upto the point where first small stream meets. Thence it follows that small stream and runs along upsteam side towards east crossing small hill lock and meets Champhasuri lui.

East : From thence the boundary follows Champhasuri lui and runs along the upstream side towards South crossing the hill lock and meet Laihlauhva lui. Thence it follows Laihlauhva lui towards down stream till the stream takes aturn Thence it runs at the foot hill of Tiante hill Range towards north and after crossing a number of streams and nallas the boundary meets Borsagojasora Dinglam Lui. Thence it follows the Dinglam a Lui of Borsagajasor towards the upstream the side upto the hill lock.

South : From thence the boundary runs towards west and crosses the Rural Link Road at about 1 Km. from Khjoysuri G.C. and then

meets Letisuri lui. Thence it follows Letisuri towards the downstream till it meets R. Kawrpui (Theka).

West : From the meeting point of Leitsuri lui and River Kawrpui the boundary runs towards north and along the downstream of R. Kawrpui (internation Boundary with Bangladesh) and meets the boundary of Karnaphuly Riverine reserve Forest. Then it follows and runs along the boundary line of existing Karnaphuly Forest Reserve and meets the starting points.

Vegetation : The area is an old jhum avaded by sungrasses and small grassesnot fit for anymore cultivation (Jhuming) Trees of various species especialy Bombe cuba, Dipterocurpes turbunates occurs here and there; and there are about 2 Sq Km. Bamboo Forest Reserve by Tipiraghat village inside the area.

Line of Transport : (1) The rural Link Road (Truckable) through the area from North to South.
(2) River Kawrpui, navigable throughout the year.

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